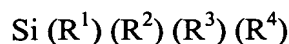


IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A reinforcement yarn ~~Reinforcement yarn,~~
~~particularly glass yarn,~~ coated with a sizing composition comprising at least one silane
satisfying the following formula:



~~in which:~~ wherein:

• ~~R¹ and R² are chosen~~ selected from at least one group consisting of: ~~the following~~
~~atoms or groups:~~

~~-H, -Cl, -O-R⁵, -O-R⁶-O-R⁵, -O-(C=O)-R⁵, and -O-R⁶-(C=O)-R⁵;~~

• ~~R³ is chosen~~ selected from at least one group consisting of: ~~the following atoms or~~
~~groups:~~

~~-Cl, -O-R⁵, -O-R⁶-O-R⁵, -O-(C=O)-R⁵, and -O-R⁶-(C=O)-R⁵;~~

• ~~R⁵ and R⁶ being chosen~~ are selected from hydrocarbon radicals ~~whose main chain~~
~~has~~ having from 1 to 4 carbon atoms in the main chain;

• ~~R⁴ = -R⁷-NHR⁸;~~

• ~~R⁷ being chosen~~ is selected from branched hydrocarbon radicals ~~whose main chain~~
~~has~~ having from 2 to 6 carbon atoms in the main chain;

• ~~R⁸ being chosen~~ is selected from at least one group consisting of: ~~the following~~
~~groups:~~

~~-H, -R⁹-NH₂, and -R¹⁰-NH-R⁹-NH₂;~~

• ~~R⁹ being chosen~~ is selected from hydrocarbon radicals ~~containing~~ comprising from 1
to 12 carbon atoms or from carbonyls; and

• ~~R¹⁰ being chosen~~ is selected from hydrocarbon radicals ~~whose main chain has~~
~~having~~ from 1 to 6 carbon atoms in the main chain.

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): The reinforcement yarn as claimed in claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein $R^1 = R^2 = R^3 = -CH_3O$, and $R^4 = -CH_2-CH_2-C(CH_3)_2-CH_2-NH_2$ or $[(R_4 =)] -CH_2-C(CH_3)_2-CH_2-NH_2$.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): The reinforcement yarn as claimed in claim 1, ~~wherein claim 1 or claim 2, characterized in that~~ the composition ~~furthermore~~ further comprises at least one γ -methacryloxy-propyltrimethoxysilane or a at least one vinyl silane.

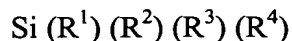
Claim 4 (Currently Amended): The reinforcement yarn as claimed in claim 1, ~~wherein one of claims 1 to 3, characterized in that~~ the composition ~~furthermore~~ further comprises at least one ~~one, and preferably at least two,~~ bonding agents.

Claim 5 (Currently Amended): The reinforcement yarn as claimed in claim 1, ~~wherein one of claims 1 to 4, characterized in that~~ the composition ~~furthermore~~ further comprises at least one ~~one, and preferably at least two,~~ lubricating agents.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended): The reinforcement yarn as claimed in claim 1, ~~wherein said yarn one of claims 1 to 5, characterized in that~~ it is obtained from an alkali-resistant glass.

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): The reinforcement yarn as claimed in claim 1, ~~wherein said yarn is capable of reinforcing plastic materials. one of claims 1 to 6,~~ ~~characterized in that it is used to reinforce plastic, in particular organic, materials.~~

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): A sizing composition for reinforcement ~~yarns~~ ~~yarns~~,
~~in particular for glass yarns~~, comprising at least one silane satisfying the following formula:



~~in which:~~ wherein

• ~~R¹ and R² are chosen~~ selected from at least one group consisting of: ~~the following~~
~~atoms or groups:~~

-H, -Cl, -O-R⁵, -O-R⁶-O-R⁵, -O-(C=O)-R⁵, and -O-R⁶-(C=O)-R⁵;

• ~~R³ is chosen~~ selected from at least one group consisting of: ~~the following atoms or~~
~~groups:~~

-Cl, -O-R⁵, -O-R⁶-O-R⁵, -O-(C=O)-R⁵, and -O-R⁶-(C=O)-R⁵;

• ~~R⁵ and R⁶ being chosen~~ are selected from hydrocarbon radicals ~~whose main chain~~
has having from 1 to 4 carbon atoms in the main chain;

• ~~R⁴ =~~ -R⁷-NHR⁸;

• ~~R⁷ being chosen~~ is selected from branched hydrocarbon radicals ~~whose main chain~~
has having from 2 to 6 carbon atoms in the main chain;

• ~~R⁸ being chosen~~ is selected from at least one group consisting of: ~~the following~~
~~groups:~~

-H, -R⁹-NH₂, and -R¹⁰-NH-R⁹-NH₂;

• ~~R⁹ being chosen~~ is selected from hydrocarbon radicals ~~containing~~ comprising from 1
to 12 carbon atoms or from carbonyls; and

• ~~R¹⁰ being chosen~~ is selected from hydrocarbon radicals ~~whose main chain has~~
having from 1 to 6 carbon atoms in the main chain.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended): A composite comprising at least one organic material and/or one inorganic material and ~~comprising the~~ reinforcement yarn ~~yarns~~, ~~at least some of~~ ~~these yarns being reinforcement yarns~~ as claimed in claim 1. ~~one of claims 1 to 6.~~